

## COHOON'S CORNER

- Congratulations to Rob and Joyce Clause on the birth of Hannalore Louise Clause born on September 6, and to Andy and Ann Sheehan on the birth of Kerri Ann Sheehan on September 16.
- Best wishes to Buck Whetsell and Tommy Derry who are recovering after having recent health problems.
- Condolences are offered to the family of long-time member Luther Parsons who passed away recently.
- For those of you who don't yet know, the GCSAA is undergoing a major change in management personnel. John Schilling, Dianna Green, and Robert Ochs have left GCSAA to begin their own company. Replacements to fill their positions are now being sought.
- The MAAGCS has made a

donation to the Disaster Relief Fund set up to help those association members devastated by the flooding in the mid-west. If you would like to make a personal donation, please send it to: Disaster Relief Fund, GCSAA Development Department, P.O. Box 927, Lawrence, KS 66049-0927.

### Dues Increase in 1994

As outlined in Mike Gilmore's article *Looking Toward the Future*, the MAAGCS will be increasing the annual dues from the current \$85 per year to \$120 per year starting in 1994. The increase is based on the responses of the survey sent to all members earlier this year, and to fund those programs that are supported by the membership.

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maintenance practices. I think I got 12 years of experience in three years." He then moved to Havre de Grace and Swan Creek in March of 1989.

Since then he's been busy at Swan Creek. In the last three years they've installed a new irrigation system, tee-to-green cart paths and two restrooms on the course. "We do everything in-house with the help of Mr. Hawkins' construction company," says Ron. "We do the designing, planning and actual installations ourselves. And all in all, despite the trial and error, I've been really happy with the results."



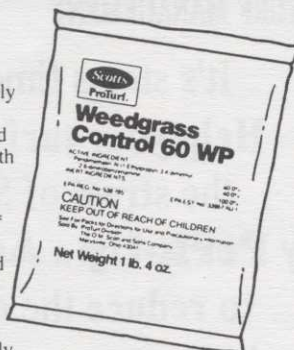
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